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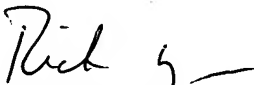
Applicant submits a drawing sheet containing FIGS 16A-16D. Upon receiving the Notice of Omitted Item, the undersigned attorney checked his files and found the original drawing sheet with the copies of the other drawings for the application. This drawing sheet was inadvertently omitted from the CIP application.

Applicant has enclosed the petition fee of \$130.00 and respectfully requests that a filing date be accorded for January 15, 2004, the day that the drawing was deposited in Express Mail.

Thank you for your continued assistance in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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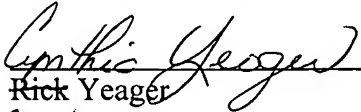
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